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In re the application of:

SHIMON GRUPER ET AL

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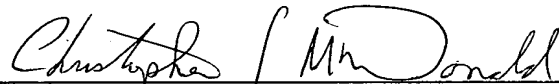
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Sir:

Applicants submit the Declaration of Shimon Gruper, an inventor in the application. The Declaration Under 37 CFR 1.131 establishes the conception of the claimed invention prior to March 17, 1997 and the diligence thereafter in the reduction to practice of the invention.

The Declaration establishes that the invention antedates the document dated March 17, 1997 and attributed to Secure4U.

Respectfully submitted,



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